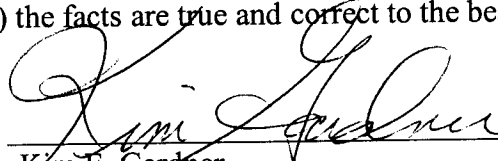
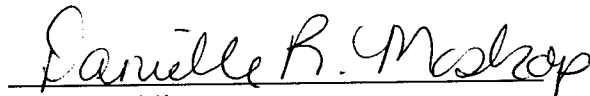


## VERIFICATION

I, Kim E. Gardner, certify that: (i) I am a Consultant for the Ameren Illinois Utilities; (ii) I have read the foregoing Comments of the Ameren Illinois Utilities; (iii) I am familiar with the facts stated therein; and (iv) the facts are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

  
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Kim E. Gardner

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me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2006.

  
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